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Summary Information

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Title America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee Record Group

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Language English

Historical note

Between 1984 and 1987 North Carolina commemorated the four hundredth anniversary of the Roanoke Voyages. Supported by Sir Walter Raleigh with the assistance of Queen Elizabeth I, the first expedition was sent to explore the coastal and sound regions of what is now North Carolina. Subsequent voyages attempted to found a military colony on Roanoke Island and an ongoing civilian settlement. While these objectives were only partially realized (the settlement is remembered as the Lost Colony), the voyages led the way for England to establish permanent colonies in America in the following century.

Through a joint resolution, the General Assembly of 1955 laid the foundation for a three-year celebration of the historical events. A body known as America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Commission was established to initiate plans toward a commemoration on the scale of a national or world's fair exposition, or as deemed appropriate. Consisting of not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty members, appointees to the commission were to be chosen by the governor on the following merits: capacity to deal with problems involved in a celebration of national scope, and knowledge of and interest in early American history. The resolution stipulated, however, that the commission's non-resident membership not exceed twenty percent. The commission's ex officio members were to include North Carolina's entire delegation to Congress.

In 1973 the legislature repealed the resolution creating the anniversary commission and established America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee in its place. Charged with advising the secretary of the Department of Cultural Resources in planning and implementing the commemorations, the anniversary committee consisted of four ex officio members and ten gubernatorial appointees who served staggered terms. Their successors served terms of four years. Those serving ex officio included the secretary of the Department of Natural and Economic Resources, the mayor of Manteo on Roanoke Island, and chairmen of the Roanoke Island Historical Association and the Dare County Board of Commissioners. The governor was authorized to appoint a member of the committee to serve as chairman. In 1977 the designation of the secretary of the Department of Natural and Economic Resources was changed when that department was reorganized as the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development.

In 1978 the American Quadricentennial Corporation, a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, was created to provide private support for programs planned and executed by America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee. To ensure coordination between the two bodies, the president of the corporation also functioned as the chairman of the anniversary committee.

The executive director and staff of America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee reported directly to the secretary of the Department of Cultural Resources. Staff operations, however, were affiliated directly with the department's Division of Archives and History. During the years of planning, the following major objectives were sought by the division and committee: to conduct and promote solid historical and archaeological studies of England's first attempt to colonize America; to encourage the preservation and public exhibition of historic sites and artifacts associated with the expeditions; to cooperate with other agencies and organizations in developing better facilities in coastal North Carolina in anticipation of the celebration and the anticipated tourism afterwards; and to promote the state's heritage and attractions.

These aims had notable results, including the following: publication of a series of pamphlets and monographs on the region's history; a scholarly symposium on Sir Walter Raleigh and publication of the papers presented; an archaeological search for the sites of English colonists and Indian villages on Roanoke Island; addition of a number of historical markers on Roanoke Island and in England; and an exhibit of sixteenth-century artifacts and manuscripts, "Raleigh and Roanoke," jointly produced by the British Library and the North Carolina Museum of History and shown in London, Raleigh, and New York. Additionally, ELIZABETH II--a replica of a sailing ship of the period--was built and docked at a new state historic site located in Shallowbag Bay, the harbor for the town of Manteo. The anniversary committee also supported or endorsed many other projects, including a British-American Folk Festival and a nationally televised epic drama entitled ROANOKE, which was aired as a three-part miniseries. Commemorations were scheduled to end on 18 August 1987, the four- hundredth birthday of Virginia Dare, the first child of English parents born and baptized in America.

REFERENCES: S.L., 1955, Resolution 43. S.L., 1973, c. 476, ss. 74-76. S.L., 1977, c. 771, s. 4. G.S. 143B-85 through 143B-86 [1983]. America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee. AMERICA'S FOUR HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE: FINAL REPORT, by John D. Neville. Raleigh, [1990]. Pp. 1-93. Department of Cultural Resources. [Budget]. Raleigh, 1979/80. ---. DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL RESOURCES. Raleigh, 1984. P. 17. Poff, Jan-Michael, ed. ADDRESSES AND PUBLIC PAPERS OF JAMES BAXTER HUNT, JR., GOVERNOR OF NORTH CAROLINA, VOLUME II, 1981-1985. Raleigh: Division of Archives and History, Department of Cultural Resources, 1987. Pp. 38, 316-317, 412-413, 479-480, 503-504. Powell, William S. NORTH CAROLINA THROUGH FOUR CENTURIES. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1989. Pp. 15-17, 33-50, 543-544.

Administrative Information

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State Archives of North Carolina

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Available for research

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Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- American Quadricentennial Corporation.
- North Carolina. America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee.
- North Carolina. Department of Cultural Resources.

Geographic Name(s)

- Dare County (N.C.)
- Roanoke Colony
- Roanoke Island (N.C.)
- United States--Centennial celebrations, etc.

Collection Inventory

MARS ID 198.1: Exhibit and Festival Correspondence, 1972-1987, undated

Scope and Contents note

General correspondence, commemorative souvenir information, committee and subcommittee correspondence, research reports, programs, brochures, Sir Francis Drake Conference memorabilia, photographs, and resolutions pertaining to planning and development of America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee (AFHAC). Includes the files of H. G. Jones, first chairman of AFHA and first president of American Quadricentennial Corporation (AQC), which were transferred on 14 February 2005 from Chapel Hill, North Carolina to the State Archives and later merged into this series. Also, includes the rough draft materials and final official report of completed by John Neville on 15 May 1989.

Acquisitions Information

Transferred from the agency to the State Records Center, 21 April 1988. Transferred from the SRC to the State Archives, 29 March 2007.

Schedule Reference

RS No. 1327

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- British Library.
- North Carolina Museum of History.

Geographic Name(s)	
Elizabethan Gardens (Roanoke Island, N.C.)	
Personal Name(s)	
• Raleigh, Walter, 1552?-1618	
Subject(s)	
• Exhibitions	
	Box
Archaeology, 1978-1980	1
Background for Commemoration, 1979-1980	1
British Embassy, 1982-1984	1
British Guest, 11-19 July 1984	1
Budget, 1978-1980	1
Commemorative Souvenirs: Coins, 1979-1986, undated	1

Commemorative Souvenirs: Stamps: British Philatelic Bureau, 1972-1973, 1980, 1982-1983	1
Commemorative Souvenirs: Stamps: Stamp meter logo, 1981, 1983-1984	1
Commemorative Souvenirs: Stamps: United States Stamps, 1980-1986	1
Committee Correspondence: Commemorative Events Subcommittee, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: Committee Appointments, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: Dare County Liaison Subcommittee, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: Education Subcommittee, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: Elizabeth II (Ship) Subcommittee: News clippings, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: Elizabeth II (Ship) Subcommittee: Subcommittee Correspondence, 1978-1980	2
Committee Correspondence: General Correspondence, 1982-1984	2
Committee Correspondence: Jones, H. G. (Chairman of AFHAC): General Correspondence, 1977-1984	2
Committee Correspondence: Jones, H. G. (Chairman of AFHAC): Quinn, David Beers, 1978-1980	3

Committee Correspondence: Jones, H. G. (Chairman of AFHAC): Wallis, Helen, 1978-1980	3
Committee Correspondence: Music Advisory Committee, 1983-1984, undated	3
Committee Correspondence: North Carolina Humanities Committee, 1976, 1980-1986, undated	3
Committee Correspondence: Neville, John, 1981, 1986-1987	3
Committee Correspondence: Publications Subcommittee, 1978-1980	3
Committee Correspondence: Regional Liaison Subcommittee, 1978-1980	3
Committee Correspondence: Special Activities Subcommittee, 1978-1980	3
Cronkite, Walter, 1983-1984	3
Elizabethan Festival (13-14 July 1984), Working File of Historically Speaking, 1984, undated	3
Elizabethan Festival (13-14 July 1985), Touring Program Grant Evaluation Form, 21 June 1985	3
Elizabethan Gardens Reception, 1983-1984, 1987, undated	3
Exhibit Development Meetings (Roanoke Island Voyages, 1584-1587), October 1983	3

Film Production, "Roanoak," (Dry Salvage Film Group), undated	4
Film Project, 1978-1980	4
Flotilla Events, 1983-1984, undated	4
Houston-Fearing Project, 1978-1980	4
License Plate, 1978-1980	4
"Lost Colony" Drama, 1981-1984, 1987, undated	4
Manteo Revitalization, 1978-1980	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 5 August 1978	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 14 November 1978	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 17-18 August 1979	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 6 November 1979	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 29 February-March 1, 1980	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 27-28 June 1980	4
Meetings (Chairman's Records): 19-20 September 1980	4

Membership, 1977-1980, undated	5
Memorabilia from Sir Francis Drake Conference, California, 1979	5
Memorandums (1984 events), 1982-1984	5
Photographs: Elizabeth II Keel, undated	5
Photographs: Neville, John (executive director), undated	5
Photographs: Pomeiooc Indian Village Excavation, undated	5
Photographs: Signal Fire Commemoration, undated	5
Photographs: St. Stephens Baptist Church Parade Float (Spring Hope Pumpkin Festival), undated	5
Photographs: Tree Planting Ceremony (Raleigh, NC), 7 October 1984	5
Plaque for Manteo, 1984, undated	5
Reports: Final Report of AFHAC: Rough Draft Materials, undated	5
Reports: Final Report of AFHAC: Final Draft, 1989	5
Reports: Garret, George, "Living with Elizabethans," 1985	5

undated

Reports: General Assembly, February 1985	5
Reports: Kupperman, Dr. Karen, "English Colonists Confront the American Environment," undated	5
US Senate Joint Resolutions, 7-10 March 1983	5
MARS ID 198.2: Celebrations File, 1937, 1978-1987, undated	
Scope and Contents note	
Correspondences, memorandums, pamphlets, brochures, newsletters, grant applications, and provering various celebrations held in honor of the anniversary. Series includes British America Festival, British Library Exhibition, Commission of Indian Affairs, Elizabethan Gardens and Rendezvous Festival, English Speaking Union, and Roanoke Island Historical Association materials.	an
Acquisitions Information	
Transferred from the agency to the State Records Center, 24 October 1986 and 21 April 1988. Transferred from the SRC to the State Archives, 19 February 1993 and 29 March 2007.	
Schedule Reference	
RS No. 3690	
	Box
British American Festival (Duke University, 2-16 June 1984): Correspondence, 1981-1984, undated	1
British Library Exhibition (NC Museum of History): Correspondence, 1980-1984,	1

British Library Exhibition (NC Museum of History): Memorandums, 1981-1985, undated	1
British Library Exhibition (NC Museum of History): Miscellaneous, undated	1
Commission on Indian Affairs, 1981-1987, undated	2
Committee Information and Minutes, 1982, undated	2
Cultural Events, 1980	2
Elizabethan Gardens: Correspondence, 1980-1987, undated	2
Elizabethan Gardens: Publications, undated	2
Elizabethan Rendezvous: Correspondence, 1981-1984	3
Elizabethan Rendezvous: Programs and Brochures, 1984	3
Elizabethan Rendezvous: Project Description and Proposals, undated	3
Elizabethan Rendezvous: Research Materials and Guides, undated	3
English Speaking Union: Correspondence, 1979-1987, undated	3
English Speaking Union: Memorandums, 1978, 1980-1987	3
English Speaking Union: Miscellaneous, 1981, 1983-1984	3

Folk life Programs, 1980	3
Funding and Grant Information, 1981, undated	3
Holgate, Jeanne: Lecture Transcript on John White Drawings, undated	3
Madrigal Groups, 1980	3
North Carolina Symphony, 1980	3
Publications, 1978-1980, undated	3
Public Relations Program, 1982, undated	3
Roanoke Island Historical Association, 1937, 1980-1981	3
Shakespeare Festival, 1980	4
Ship Feasibility Study, 1979-1980, undated	4
Status Reports, 1980	4
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill: Multi-image Slide Program, 1983-1984	4
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill: "Roanoke" Documentary Film, 1980-1982, undated	4

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill: WUNC-TV Chapel Hill Television Project, 1981-1985, undated

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Zoological Park (Asheboro), 1985-1987

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MARS ID 198.3: Archaeological File, 1980-1987, undated

Scope and Contents note

Correspondences, research reports, grant proposals, legal agreements, summary reports, and memorandums consisting of information on various archaeological projects funded by the committee. Includes information on Algonkian Indians, maritime archaeology, and Fort Raleigh National Historic Site.

Acquisitions Information

Transferred from the agency to the State Records Center, 21 April 1988. Transferred from the SRC to the State Archives, 29 March 2007.

Schedule Reference

RS No. 4042

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• United States. National Park Service.

Geographic Name(s)

- Dare County (N.C.)
- Fort Raleigh (N.C.)
- Fort Raleigh National Historic Site (N.C.)

Subject(s)

- Algonquian Indians
- Archaeology

ArchaeologyUnderwater archaeology	
	Box
Albemarle Archaeological Project and Agreement (Survey), 1987, undated	1
Correspondences, 1980-1984, undated	1
East Carolina University: Algonkian Indians, Correspondence, 1980-1985	1
East Carolina University: Archaeological Agreements, 1983-1984, 1987, undated	1
East Carolina University: Green, Paul R.: Archaeology and the Search for the First Carolinians: The Algonkian Indians, working draft, March 1985	1
East Carolina University: Green, Paul R.: The Carolina Algonkians, second draft, August 1985	1
East Carolina University: Green, Paul R.: The Carolina Algonkians, final draft, January 1986	1
East Carolina University: Green, Paul R.: Pomeiooc Site Correspondence, 1985-1987	1

East Carolina University: Green, Paul R.: Pomeiooc Site Preliminary Report, 1986	1
East Carolina University: Memorandums, 1984-1986	2
East Carolina University: Phelps, David Sutton: Archaeological Salvage of an Ossuary at the Baum Site, October 1980	2
East Carolina University: Phelps, David Sutton: Archaeology of the Native Americans: The Carolina Algonkians, 1983-1984	2
East Carolina University: Phelps, David Sutton: Archaeology of the Tillet Site: The First Fishing Community at Wanchese, Roanoke Island, 1984	2
East Carolina University: Underwater Archaeology Program, 1983-1987	2
East Carolina University: Watts, Gordon P., Jr.: A Proposal to Search for the Site of Sir Walter Raleigh's Roanoke Colony, undated	2
Fort Raleigh National Historic Site: Archaeological Investigations, 1983-1984	2
Fort Raleigh National Historic Site: Correspondence, 1980-1983, undated	3
Fort Raleigh National Historic Site: Remote Sensing Project, 1984	3
Fort Raleigh National Historic Site: Resistivity Survey, 1984	3
Historical Research Report Four Centuries and Roanoke Island: A Legacy of Geographical Change, by Bruce S. Cheeseman, September 1982	3

Hunter, Marvin R., "A Watery Fate for the Lost Colony," The State, September 1982	3
Memorandums, 1980, 1982-1985, undated	3
Miscellaneous, 1981, 1986, undated	3
Secotan and Seco Archaeological Search, 1980	3

MARS ID 198.4: Newspaper Clippings File, 1978-1987, undated

Scope and Contents note

Newspaper clippings (compiled by a clipping service) which were housed originally in multiple volumes of three-ring binders along with two boxes containing a few magazines and loose newspaper clippings. The original clippings were received from the North Carolina Collection, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, where they had been sent for storage once the committee's office in Chapel Hill was closed. The processed materials were sorted and alphabetized by subject matter then pasted on ledger size paper in chronological order and microfilmed. The original clippings were destroyed after microfilming, and are contained on reels S.38.5-7.

Acquisitions Information

Transferred to Archives from the North Carolina Collection, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 6 December 2007.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

Government publicity

	Reel
Archaeology, 1981-1986, undated	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: Arrival of the First English Colony in America (Fort Raleigh National Historic Site), 26 June 1985	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: British Library Exhibition at North Carolina Museum of History in Raleigh, March 8-June 6, 1985	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: Lighting of the Great Signal Fire to Sir Francis Drake (Hatteras Village), 10 June 1986	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: Tours (England), April 1984	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: Tours (England), April-May 1987	S.38.5
Commemoration Events: Virginia Dare Birthday, 18 August 1987	S.38.5
County Commemorative Events: Committee Members, 1982	S.38.5
County Commemorative Events: County Events, 1982-1986	S.38.5
General Publicity, 1978-1987	S.38.5
Elizabethan Gardens, 1986	S.38.6
Elizabeth II Ship, 1979, 1981-1983	S.38.6

Elizabeth II Ship, 1984-1987	S.38.7
Native Americans, 1985-1986	S.38.7
Princess Anne Visitation, 1984	S.38.7
Publications, 1982-1986, undated	S.38.7
Roanoke Mini-Series, 1985-1986	S.38.7

MARS ID 198.5: Commemorative Events File, 1980-1987

Scope and Contents note

Correspondence, speeches, press kits, royal visit information, travel abroad information and other information related to all commemorative events held by AFHAC.

Acquisitions Information

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Schedule Reference

RS No. 4043

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Automobile license plates

- Commemorative coins
- Commemorative postage stamps
- Government publicity
- Medals
- Visits of state

	Box
Commemoration of the First Colony Landing 26 June 1585: General Correspondence, 1984-1985	1
Commemoration of the First Colony Landing 26 June 1585: Press Kit, 1985	1
Commemoration of the First Colony Landing 26 June 1585: Speeches, undated	1
Drake's Visit (June 10, 1986), 1985-1986, undated	1
Elizabethan Gardens Luncheon: General Correspondence, 1985-1987, undated	1
Elizabethan Gardens Luncheon: Invited Guests, August 1987	1
Plymouth, England (TV Coverage Ceremonies), 1983-1984, undated	1
Plymouth Historic Plaque, 1983, undated	1
Press Kits, 1982-1983	1
Royal Visit, 1980-1984, undated	1

Travel Abroad Planning: Academic Travel Abroad (Martha Henze), 1982-1984, undated	2
Travel Abroad Planning: Advisory Committee, 1981-1984, undated	2
Travel Abroad Planning: British Correspondence, 1981-1987	2
Travel Abroad Planning: General Correspondence, 1986-1987, undated	2
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): Budget and Financial Projections, 1987	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): Eighty-Second Airborne Division, 1985-1987, undated	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): Fireworks Display, 1987, undated	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): General Correspondence, 1987, undated	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): Invitation to President, 1937, 1987	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): Memorial Regatta (Roanoke Island Yacht Club), 15 August 1987	3
Virginia Dare's Four Hundredth Birthday (18 August 1987): North Carolina Symphony, 16 August 1987	3

MARS ID 198.6: Logo File, 1980-1986, undated

Scope and Contents note

Correspondence, licensing agreements, trademark registration, memorandums, and other information concerning the official logo of the America's Four Hundredth Anniversary Committee (AFHAC).

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Schedule Reference

RS No. 4044

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Government publicity
- License agreements
- Trademarks

	Box
Advisory Committee for Sale of Products, 1980, 1982-1983, undated	1
Agency East: License Agreements, 1983, undated	1
Agency East: Swearington Correspondence, 1983-1985, undated	1

Certificate of Registration, 1981, 1985	1
General Correspondence, 1983-1984, 1986, undated	1
Licensing Agents Correspondence, 1982-1983, undated	1
Request for Logo Use: Commercial Use Request, 1982-1983, undated	1
Request for Logo Use: Non-Commercial Use Request, 1981-1985	1
Trademark Registration, 1980-1985	1
Visuals, 1983-1984, 1986, undated	1
William A. Ries and Associates Advertising, 1983, undated	1
MARS ID 198.7: Elizabeth II, 1973, 1975, 1978-1986	
Scope and Contents note	
Drawings, state bid information, photographs, slides, correspondence, feasibility reports, contra memorandums, and research file concerning the planning, construction, launching, and dedicati Elizabeth II and historic site at Shallowbag Bay in Manteo. Elizabeth II was the brainchild of for Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. that was designed by late William Avery Baker and Stanley Potter ship replica was completed in early 1984 by the O. Lie-Nielsen, a shipbuilder located in Rockla Maine.	on of ormer . The
Acquisitions Information	

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Schedule Reference	
RS No. 4045	
Controlled Access Headings	
Corporate Name(s)	
Elizabeth II (Ship).	
Geographic Name(s)	
Roanoke Island Festival Park (N.C.)	
Subject(s)	
Historic sites	
	Box
Agreements, 1985	1
Bid Contracts and Invitation, 1982, undated	1
Boathouse Construction, 1982, undated	1
Brochure, undated	1

Channel Dredging, 1983-1985	1
Charlestowne Landing: The Adventure of the Carolinas, 1983-1984, undated	1
Correspondence: Construction, 1980-1982, 1985, undated	1
Correspondence: General Correspondence, 1978-1983, 1985, undated	1
Dedication Ceremony of Keel and Frame, 1982, undated	1
Description and Illustrations, 1984, undated	1
East Carolina Report (Horace Whitfield II), January 1985	1
Educational Activities: Subcommittee, 1980-1985, undated	1
Friends of Elizabeth II, 1981-1984, undated	1
Golden Hinde: Sir Humphrey Gilbert Quadricentennial, 1982, undated	1
Historic Site: Office, 1982-1985, undated	2
Historic Site: Visitor Center Construction, 1981-1982	2
Launching of Elizabeth II: Fish Fry Guest List, 22 November 1983	2
Launching of Elizabeth II: General Correspondence, 1983	2

Launching of Elizabeth II: Publicity for Launch, 1983	2
Lee-Nielsen, O. (Builder), 1982-1985, undated	2
Maritime Preservation Grants Program, 1978-1981, undated	2
Maryland Dove, 1973, 1975, 1977, undated	2
Mary Rose Trust (U.K.), 1982-1983, undated	2
Mayflower II, undated	2
Miscellaneous, 1981-1983, 1985-1986, undated	2
Photography of Elizabeth II: Bell, 1984, undated	3
Photography of Elizabeth II: Project, circa 1981-1983	3
Plans of Elizabeth II, 1981-1982	3
Potter, Stanley: Correspondence, 1981-1984	3
Potter, Stanley: Request for Payments/Expenses, 1981-1983	3
Research and Feasibility, 1981-1982, undated	3
Shipbuilders, 1981-1982, undated	3

Tall Ships, 1981-1984, 1986, undated

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MARS ID 198.8: Correspondence File, 1976-1987

Scope and Contents note

Correspondence and memorandums from various state agencies, committee members, as well as correspondence with various offices and agencies in Great Britain (about royal visits and museum exhibitions). Also includes correspondence concerning book and pamphlet contract agreements.

Acquisitions Information

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Schedule Reference

RS No. 4046

Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

• Great Britain

Subject(s)

- Government publicity
- Museum exhibits
- Visits of state

Books	
	Box
Armitage, Christopher: Sir Walter Raleigh Bibliography, 1983-1987, undated	1
Hulton, Paul: The John White Drawings, 1981-1983	1
Phelps, David: <u>The Carolina Algonkians</u> , 1983	1
Quinn, David Beers: The First English Colonies in America, 1982-1983	1
Quinn, David Beers: Set Fair for Roanoke: Voyages and Colonies, 1584-1606, 1982-1985, undated	1
Stick, David: Roanoke Island: <u>The Beginning of English America</u> , 1981-1984, undated	1
Correspondence	
	Box
Basnight, Marc, 1980, 1982-1983, 1985	1
Bicton Park (Sandra George, Public Relations Officier), 1982-1984	1
Bone, John S., 1981, 1983	1
Brave New World Conference, 1978-1979	1

British Liaison, 1978, 1981-1985, 1987, undated	1
Creber, Goodrich (Devon County Council, England), 1981, 1983	1
Dorsey, Patricia, 1985	1
East Devon District Council, 1981-1983	1
Exeter Cathedral (Very Rt. Rev. Richard Eyre), 1983-1984	1
Gallop, S. Clyde, 1984	1
Gilbert, Mrs. Walter Raleigh, 1976, 1981-1986	1
Goddard, Rev. Canon Paul, 1981-1983	1
Green, Paul, 1981	1
Griffith, Andy, 1981-1985, undated	1
Grimsley, Joseph W., 1980-1982	2
Harmon, Carolyn, 1982-1983	2
Hodgkins, Sarah W., 1980-1984, undated	2
Hunt, James B., Jr., 1981-1984, undated	2

Jones, H. G., 1978, 1980-1982, 1984-1987	2
Kennedy, John P., Jr., 1982-1984, 1986-1987,	2
Kirkham, Reverend (Lord Bishop of Sherborne), 1980-1983, undated	2
Martin, James G. (Governor), 1985-1986, undated	2
Mathews, Roger (Mayor of Plymouth, England), 1981, 1983-1986,	2
Mayflower Tapestry Library (Tom Mohr), 1980-1983, undated	2
Morrison, Emma Neal, 1980-1983	2
Oriel College (Sir Zelman Cowen, Provost)	3
Owens, Robert V., 1982-1984, 1986	3
Paschal, Herbert R., 1980-1983, 1985, undated	3
Powell, William S., 1981-1987, undated	3
Preyer, Richardson, 1981-1984, undated	3
Publications Subcommittee, 1979-1987, 1989, undated	3
Sherborne Castle (Simon Wingfield Digby), 1982-1985	4

Smy, Andrew F. (Director of Devon Tourism), 1981-1983	4
Stick, David, 1979-1985, undated	4
Wade, Charles B., Jr., 1980-1985, 1987, undated	4
Wallis, Dr. Helen (Dir. Of British Library Map Collection), 1981-1984, 1987, undated	4
Warren, Lindsay C., Jr., 1981-1984	4
Warren, Lindsay C., Jr., 1985-1987, undated	5
Wilson IV, John B., 1980-1984, 1986, undated	5
Winberry, Charles, 1980-1984	5
Winslow, J. Emmet, 1980-1981, undated	5
Young, Dr. Joyce (University of Exter History Dept.), 1981-1984	5
Memorandums	
	Box
Commission Members, 1981-1987	5
Dorsey, Patricia (Secretary of Cultural Resources), 1984-1987, undated	5

Hodgkins, Sarah W., 1981-1984	6
Warren, Lindsay C., Jr., 1983-1984	6
Winslow, Lucille, 1981-1983	6
Pamphlets	
	Box
Arner, Robert D.: "The Roanoke Voyages in Literature," 1978, 1982-1985	6
Cumming, William B.: "Cartography of Coastal Carolina," 1982, 1987	6
General Correspondence, 1981-1983, undated	6
Harrington, J. C.: "Archaeology and the Enigma of Fort Raleigh," 1982-1984	6
Hoffman, Paul E.: "Spain and the Raleigh Colonies," 1983-1984, 1986	6
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